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C O N F I D E N T I A L VIENTIANE 6678

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PGOV, PFOR, LA

SUBJECT: EXCHANGE OF POW/MIA/DIC LISTS

REF: VIENTIANE 6446

1. FOLLOWING UP CONVERSATIONS REPORTED REFTTEL, ARMA VISITED RLGAFF DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR INTELLIGENCE, BRIGADIER GENERAL THAO LY, ON SEPTEMBER 26. LATTER HAD EVIDENTLY BEEN BRIEFED ON SUBJECT BY GENERAL PHASOUK AND INDICATED THAT HE HAD DISPATCHED CABLES TO MILITARY REGION COMMANDERS ASKING FOR NAMES OF ENEMY PRISONERS AND THOSE WHO HAVE DIED IN CAPTIVITY. HE SAID HE HAD ALREADY COMPILED LISTS OF NAMES OF 172 NVA PRISONERS HELD IN VIENTIANE. HE DID NOT BELIEVE ANY PATHET LAO NAMES WOULD BE FORTHCOMING FOR INCLUSION ON RLG LISTS SINCE ALL MILITARY REGION COMMANDERS TAKE POSITION THAT PATHET LAO PRISONERS RALLIED TO THE GOVERNMENT FOLLOWING THEIR CAPTURE.

2. FROM OTHER SOURCES, WE HAVE LEARNED THAT LISTS OF NAMES OF 71 NVA PRISONERS AND 22 NVA RALLIERS IN
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SAVANNAKHET ARE BEING FORWARDED TO RLGAFF HEADQUARTERS

IN VIENTIANE. THAO LY'S OFFICE WILL APPARENTLY BE IN
CHARGE OF COMPILING UNIFIED LIST.
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